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For: SNAP-FIT COVERPLATE AND GEARHOUSING FOR ELECTRIC MOTOR

This application includes:

- 10 pages: specification, claims, abstract, and title page
- 2 sheets of drawings, X formal/informal containing Figures 1-4
- photographs (design patent application only)
- X This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of the priority date of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/524,569 Docket No. 2003 P 17843 US entitled "Snap-Fit Coverplate and Gearhousing for Electric Motor", filed on November 24, 2003.

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- X Declaration and Power of Attorney
- X An assignment of the invention to Siemens VDO Automotive Corporation.
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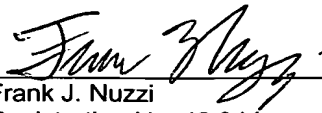
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